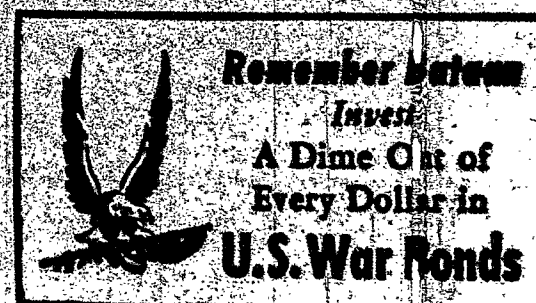


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Second National Rural Life School Being Held At Saint Stanislaus

Conferences Presided Over By Dignitaries of Catholic Church And Outstanding Agricultural Leaders Of The Country

The Second Rural Life School Conference is being held in Bay St. Louis this week. The school opened at Saint Stanislaus on Monday, June 7th, and will continue until Saturday, June 12th.

The Most Reverend Richard Oliver Gerow, D. D., Bishop of Natchez is host to the school, and we in Bay St. Louis, owe a debt of gratitude to Bishop Gerow for having brought to us for the second time this national conference of Catholic leaders from many states. Included in the list of Faculty Members are many dignitaries of the Catholic Church and outstanding Agricultural leaders of the country.

At the first meeting Most Reverend Francis Jos. Rummel, S. T. D., Archbishop of New Orleans, discussed at length: "The Church and the rural question in the South." This key note discourse has been developed by outstanding authorities in their respective fields throughout the week. Particularly outstanding among these was Dr. Carl F. Taesch of the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

The school has been carried on under the direction of Rev. Herbert Lersch of Bay St. Louis, and totals an enrollment of sixty.

Included among the speakers and chairmen at the conference, in addition to Archbishop Rummel, and Bishop Gerow, are the Most Reverend A. E. Fletcher, D. D., Bishop of Little Rock, and Rt. Reverend James Gaffney, Chairman of the Catholic Committee of the South, also of Little Rock; the Most Rev. Jules E. Jeannard, D. D., Bishop of Lafayette, and Rt. Rev. Monsignor L. G. Ligutti, Executive Secretary of the National Catholic Rural Life Conference of Des Moines, Iowa.

Rev. Father John Niemeyer, Diocesan Director of the Rural Life Conference for the Diocese of Natchez, upon being asked about some of the outstanding features of the School, stated that, in his opinion, Rev. Geo. J. Hildner of Villa Ridge, Missouri, was one of the most dynamic, enthusiastic and electrifying spokesmen on the program. Father Niemeyer related that Father Hildner has the distinction of having been appointed by the Governor of the State of Missouri, Chairman of the Council of Defense of his home county of Franklin.

The following is a list of the visiting faculty members: Dr. Harold A. Wilson, S. L. I., Lafayette, La.; Rev. Robert Tracy, New Orleans, La.; Mr. Thomas Dole, C. U. N. A., Madison, Wisconsin; Mr. Charles Eickel, New Orleans, La.; Mr. E. K. Watkins, New Orleans, La.; Mr. T. M. Patterson, A. A. A., Jackson, Mississippi; Mr. Owen Cooper, Mississippi Farm Bureau, Jackson, Mississippi; Dr. F. M. Dickinson, Regional Dir. Farmer's Union, Little Rock, Ark.; Dr. M. D. Steward, Farm Security Administration, Little Rock, Ark.; Rt. Rev. Msgr. J. Gaffney, St. John's Seminary; Mr. L. I. Jones, Extension Service, Mississippi State College; Mr. H. S. Johnson, 4-H Club, State College, Miss.; Miss Elaine Massey, State College, Miss.; Mr. B. L. Thompson, Pres. Fed. Land Bank, New Orleans, La.; Mr. S. N. Jackson, Vocational Agriculture, Baton Rouge, La.; Very Rev. George Hildner, Villa Ridge, Missouri; Mr. Alvin Jones, Xavier University, New Orleans, La.; Mr. Ferdinand Rousseau, Xavier University, New Orleans, La.; Mr. J. Smith, Hattiesburg, Miss.; Dr. Carl Taesch, U. S. D. A., Washington, D. C.; Rt. Rev. Msgr. L. G. Ligutti, Executive Secretary, N. C. R. L. C., Des Moines, Iowa; Rev. A. J. Gmelch, Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. John Niemeyer, Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. P. H. DeBoer, S. V. D., Yazoo City, Miss.; Rev. William Clarke, Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. F. J. Quinn, Biloxi, Miss.; Rev. H. J. Mullin, Biloxi, Miss.; Very Rev. J. F. Eckert, S. V. D., Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. John Kemper, S. V. D., Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. John A. Gaspard, S. V. D., Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. Arthur Winters, S. V. D., Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. Matthew Skidmore, Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. Edward Adams, S. V. D., Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. Harold Perry, S. V. D., Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. William Adams, S. V. D., Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. Bernard Rielly, M. S., Bassfield, Miss.; Rev. Kerrie Carr, McComb, Miss.; Sr. M. Reinaldis O. S. F., Yazoo City, Miss.; Sr. M. Hortensia, O. S. F., Yazoo City, Miss.; Sr. Mary Lupat, O. S. F., Yazoo City, Miss.; Sr. M. Augustina, Yazoo City, Miss.; Rev. Hubert Lersch, Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. Olan Broussard, Iota, Louisiana; Rev. Albert J. Bacue, New Iberia, La.; Mr. Raymond Martin, Opelousas, La.

K. OF C. ELECT OFFICERS FOR ENSUING YEAR

Election of officers of the Knights of Columbus to serve during the fiscal year July 1, 1943 to June 30, 1944, were held Monday, June 7th of Pere LeDuc Council 1522.

Fred L. Herlihy, Grand Knight.
Walter F. Favre, Deputy Grand Knight.

Roger Heitzmann, Chancellor.
Joseph Todaro, Warden.

Thomas J. McCaleb, Recording Secretary.
Alden L. Mauffray, Treasurer.

Rev. Father M. J. Costello, Advocate.
Raymond Carrio, Inner Guard.

Anthony Benigno, Outside Guard.
Trustees: Leon J. Favre, Joseph Loiacano and Arthur A. Scaffide.

The following appointments were made:
Rev. Father A. J. Gmelch, Chaplain.

Rev. Father William Clark, lecturer.
Wallace Bontemps, Financial Secretary.

Installation of officers will be held Monday, July 5th at K. of C. Hall, 8:30 p. m. Following the ceremony a fish fry will be in order, preparations for which are now being made by a committee composed of Roger Heitzmann, Leon J. Favre, Walter Favre and Thomas J. McCaleb.

AT CAMP MAXEY



P. F. C. THOMAS J. NECAISE

Pfc. Thomas J. Neceise son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Neceise, Sr., of Waveland, Miss., is in the United States Army attached to the Infantry. He is stationed at Camp Maxey, Texas.

Honor Roll Omitted New One Being Prepared

The Honor Roll of the boys in service from Hancock county, has been omitted from this issue. We are preparing a corrected list of boys and hope to have it ready for next issue. If any names are omitted we would certainly appreciate having our attention called to it.

May we also remind you that we will mail the paper to any of the boys in service if requested and the address furnished us.

Dr. Thomas J. Arceneaux, Lafayette, La.; Mr. Leroy W. Bihn, New Iberia, La.; Mr. Andrus Hernandez, Crowley, La.; Rev. Francis Wade, S. V. D., D. D., Lafayette, La.; Rev. John Niemeyer, Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. P. H. DeBoer, S. V. D., Yazoo City, Miss.; Rev. William Clarke, Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. F. J. Quinn, Biloxi, Miss.; Rev. H. J. Mullin, Biloxi, Miss.; Very Rev. J. F. Eckert, S. V. D., Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. John Kemper, S. V. D., Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. John A. Gaspard, S. V. D., Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. Arthur Winters, S. V. D., Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. Matthew Skidmore, Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. Edward Adams, S. V. D., Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. Harold Perry, S. V. D., Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. William Adams, S. V. D., Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. Bernard Rielly, M. S., Bassfield, Miss.; Rev. Kerrie Carr, McComb, Miss.; Sr. M. Reinaldis O. S. F., Yazoo City, Miss.; Sr. M. Hortensia, O. S. F., Yazoo City, Miss.; Sr. Mary Lupat, O. S. F., Yazoo City, Miss.; Sr. M. Augustina, Yazoo City, Miss.; Rev. Hubert Lersch, Bay St. Louis, Miss.; Rev. Olan Broussard, Iota, Louisiana; Rev. Albert J. Bacue, New Iberia, La.; Mr. Raymond Martin, Opelousas, La.

DEATH OF VICTOR E. LIZANA

Native of Pass Christian and Resident of Waveland, Past 30 Years

Victor E. Lizana died at the Touro Infirmary on Monday, June 7, at 7 p. m. following an extended illness. Several months ago he underwent



VICTOR E. LIZANA

a major operation from which he seemed to be recovering and was up and out but a recurrence of his trouble proved fatal and he died after a gallant fight to live.

Mr. Lizana was a native of Pass Christian and was the son of the late Mr. Placide Lizana of Pass Christian who was so well known here and the late Miss Elise Bachemen of New Orleans. Mr. Lizana had made his home in Waveland for the past 30 years.

He was well and widely known throughout the south as manufacturer's agent in which capacity he served for more than thirty years.

He is survived by his wife the former Miss Delta Holdridge of New Orleans, two daughters Mrs. A. E. Aime of Waveland and Mrs. Lawrence Jacob of Bay St. Louis; three sisters, Mrs. William Swoboda, Mrs. Martin Farrell and Mrs. Otto Roemer of New Orleans; three brothers William J. Lizana of Henderson Point, Dr. Ferdinand Lizana of Kaplan, La. and Florian Lizana of Bay St. Louis. He also leaves four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Wednesday morning with services at the Fahey Funeral Home at 9:30 and a Requiem High Mass at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church at 10 a. m. Rev. Father Jacob officiating at the church and cemetery.

Palbearers were William Swoboda, James McFie, Linwood Holdridge, Otto Roemer, Jr., Lawrence Bachemen and Florian J. Lizana.

Jolly "Vic" Lizana is dead. The home which was open at all times to his friends and where a welcome deep from his heart awaited them, will be missed by those who knew him casually for the shadow of sorrow over it. He will be missed by the many who called him friend; he will be missed by those who knew him casually for the shadow of sorrow over it. He will be missed by the many who called him friend; he will be missed by those who knew him casually for the shadow of sorrow over it.

He sleeps beneath a wealth of floral offerings bearing mute testimony of the love of his friends. The Echo extends to the bereaved family its sincerest sympathy and asks for them strength to carry on.

American Red Cross

The Production Department has been assigned an urgent order for 4000 surgical dressings to be completed as soon as possible and workers at the Surgical Dressings Room in the Masonic Temple are needed in order to complete this assignment.

Mrs. Leo Seal states that the following persons will be at the Surgical Dressing Room at the time and on the days as follows:

Mrs. H. L. Whiter, captain, will open the room each day from 8:00 A. M. until 12:00.

On Monday afternoon from 1:00 P. M. until 5:00 P. M. Mrs. L. M. Gex and Mrs. L. S. Elliott.

On Tuesday afternoons from 1:00 P. M. until 5:00 P. M. Mrs. W. Douglas Bourgeois, and Mrs. Homer Gregory.

On Wednesday afternoons from 1:00 P. M. until 5:00 P. M. Mrs. Walter J. Gex, Jr., and Mrs. Horace L. Kergosien.

On Thursday afternoons from 1:00 P. M. until 5:00 P. M. Mrs. Charles Fink and Mrs. E. J. Lacoste, Sr.

On Friday afternoons from 1:00 P. M. until 5:00 P. M. Mrs. Leo Ford and Mrs. Alfred Vassalli.

Night classes in the Surgical Dressing Room will be held on each Tuesday and Thursday from 7:00 P. M. until 10:00 P. M.

Tuesdays, Miss Mary Perkins and Miss Margaret Zimmerman will open the Surgical Dressing Room.

Thursdays, Mrs. S. J. Ingram and Mrs. Luther Ansley will open the Surgical Dressing Room.

In the sewing room, volunteers are needed for work on baby layettes and knitters are also badly needed and the Sewing Room is open each day from 9:00 A. M. until 12 noon.

WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE IN NEW QUARTERS

Mr. L. H. McCormick, proprietor, announces that the Western Auto Associate Store will open on Monday, June 14, at their new place of business located at 105 South Beach Boulevard. This is the building formerly occupied by Breath's Haberdashery.

Mr. McCormick feels that this new location will enable him to serve his customers to better advantage. They sell a line of soft goods, automotive parts, motor oil, auto batteries, felt base floor coverings.

Study Course Closes Tonight

The Study Course under the direction of the Women's Society of Christian Service closes tonight.

The course was opened Monday night by Mrs. C. C. Clark of Gulfport who gave a very interesting introduction to the book "Can a Man Rob God?" by Bishop Ralph Cushman which is a study in Stewardship and which was the text that the class studied.

Mrs. Enid Rosene gave the lesson on Tuesday night and Mrs. Paul Delcuzon on Wednesday night.

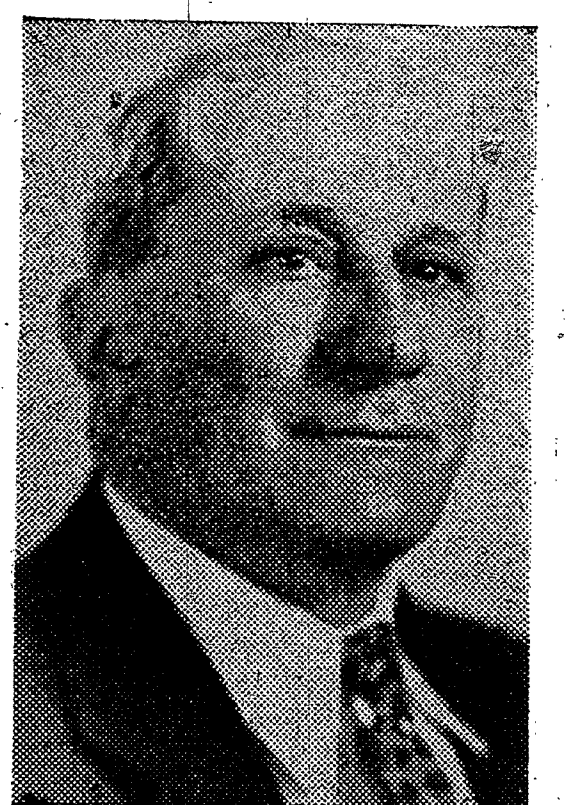
No class was held on Thursday night and the closing chapters of the book will be given tonight by Mrs. C. C. McDonald and Mrs. Carl Smith.

The classes have been well attended.

CLAUD MONTI ANNOUNCES

Candidacy for Sheriff and Tax Collector—Served Formerly in This Capacity

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Claud Monti for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of



CLAUD MONTI

Hancock County. The following is Mr. Monti's statement to the voters.

To the Voters and the Boys in service who expect to cast their absentee votes;

"If I served you well before, I ask for the privilege of serving you again for the next four years and assure you that your vote or any assistance you might render me will be deeply appreciated.

CLAUD MONTI.

Young Men Between 18 And 26 May Still Become Aviation Cadets

Young men between the ages of 18 and 26 can still become aviation cadets so long as they have not received their notice to report for induction, the Aviation Cadet Examining Board here announced in revealing that the time of processing applicants had been cut materially.

There is still need for flyers and even though enlistments have been banned in other branches of the service men, between 18 and 26 can volunteer at any of the eight Aviation Cadet Selection Boards in Mississippi.

No school or college credits whatsoever, are required. The boards will give the mental and physical examinations, and if the applicant is accepted, he will be given a letter to the Armed Forces Induction Station, requesting his assignment to the Army Air Forces. With this assurance, the applicant can volunteer for induction through his board.

Those who already have received their induction papers cannot apply for cadet training until assigned to an outfit in the Army. Every soldier in the ranks has the opportunity to apply.

Boys of 17 may volunteer for enlistment in the Air Corps Cadet Enlisted Reserve. They will be called for pre-flight training at the end of the first semester after reaching the age of 18.

Mississippi selection Boards are located at Camp Shelby, Keeler Field, Biloxi; Gulfport Field, Gulfport; Columbus Army Flying School, Greenville Army Flying School, Greenwood Army Air Field, Key Field, Meridian, and 504 Post Office Building, Jackson, Miss. Further information may be had by writing the Camp Shelby board.

H. W. LeTISSIER ELECTED PRESIDENT OF COAST HOTEL ASSN.

At Meeting Held on Wednesday Evening at Biloxi

At the regular monthly meeting of the Coast Hotel Association held Wednesday evening at the New Biloxi Hotel, the following officers were elected for the coming year:

President—H. W. LeTissier, Hotel Reed.

Vice President—W. C. Felkins, Avelez Hotel.

Secretary and Treasurer—Mike Fagin, Hotel Markham.

This association is made up of twelve leading coast hotels and the new president was instructed to extend to the Mississippi State Hotel Association at their annual convention to be held in Jackson, June 21 and 22, an invitation to hold their convention on the Coast next year with the Coast Association acting as host.

Bay St. Louis Students Receive Degrees At University

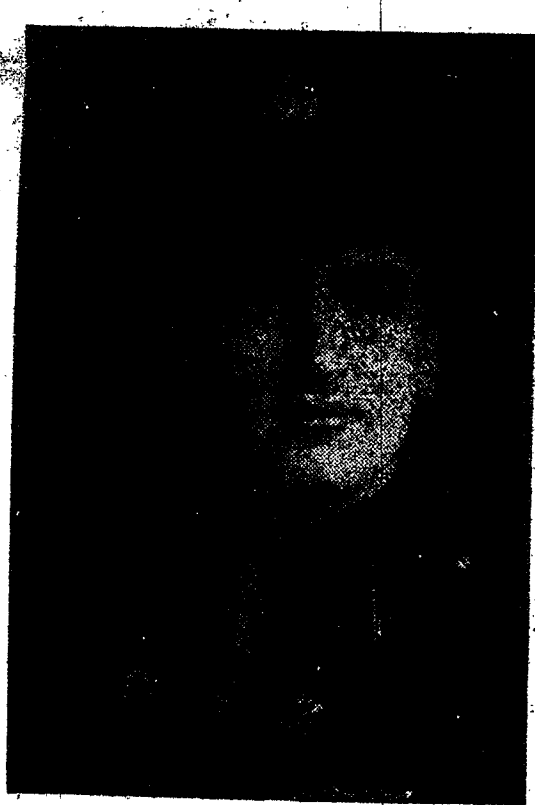
Among the 198 candidates who last week-end were awarded degrees at the ninetieth commencement in the history of the University of Mississippi were three from Bay St. Louis.

Hermann M. Baxter and Emile Joseph, Gex, Jr., received the degree of Bachelor of Arts.

The degree of Bachelor of Science in Commerce was awarded to Rita Anee Benigno.

The baccalaureate sermon, on Sunday morning was delivered by Bishop Duncan M. Gray of the Episcopal Diocese of Mississippi. The Commencement address on Monday, when the degrees were granted, was by Lt. Col. A. B. Butts, chancellor of the university now on military leave. The degrees were awarded by Dr. Alfred Hume, acting chancellor.

TECHNICIAN



CPL. MICHEL NECAISE, JR.

Corporal Michel Neceise, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Michel Neceise of Kiln, is in the United States Army and was stationed in New York City pursuing Technical studies. He was recently transferred to Richmond, Va. This young man was an employee of the local office of the Mississippi Power Company prior to his induction. He is married to the former Miss Bertha Lee, and they have one son.

Aid To Wives Of Service Men

The Hancock County Chapter of the American Red Cross is in receipt of a bulletin from the Mississippi State Board of Health, Jackson, Miss., advising of a new program by which hospitalization is being made possible for the dependents of service men of certain grades of the United States Army and Navy and their various branches.

Forms of application for this service and instructions as to how a service-man's wife may receive medical attention and hospitalization as an expectant mother, and at the time of confinement may be had from the office of the local County Health Officer, Dr. C. M. Shipp. Members of the staff serving in the office of the Executive Secretary, Mrs. Louis Maunus, will assist applicants for this service to fill in these forms, and give whatever information is available concerning this service.

More than thirty hospitals and one hundred and thirty Mississippi physicians are already assisting materially in this program. Participation is, of course, purely voluntary, but high-ranking medical men all over the country are accepting the uniform payment set by the Children's Bureau in order to serve the wives and babies of our fighting men.

DEATH CLAIMS YOUTH

Pvt. Jos. L. Koerner Dies of Sunstroke at Camp Swift, Texas—21 Years of Age

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Koerner were apprised by wire Wednesday morning that their son Private Joseph L. Koerner had died on Tuesday at 7:14 P. M. from the effects of a sun stroke. Private Koerner enlisted in the Army in February of this year and was stationed at Camp Swift, Texas. He was 21 years of age on Thursday of this week.

Arrangements for the funeral are pending the arrival of the body. Besides his parents he leaves a brother Clyde Koerner United States Navy stationed at San Francisco, Calif., and a sister Miss Iris Koerner of this city. His mother is the former Miss Marietta Monti.

The Echo extends to the bereaved family sincerest sympathy in the loss of this brave boy.

Private Koerner was a graduate of St. Stanislaus.

Former Seagull Puilding Converted Into Saint Stanislaus Summer Camp

The "Seagull" former tearoom built by the late Mrs. John N. Stewart, which was recently purchased by Brother Peter, President of St. Stanislaus College, for use of his summer camp has been completely renovated and painted. The large screened porch on the west side of the building accommodates a number of boys who will sleep hereon and the building as a whole is excellent for housing boys who are members of the camp.

Brother Peter states that 243 boys have been registered in the camp this summer, and over 15 applications had been received. He has received that 243 were as many as could be taken care of by the staff of brothers who are in charge of the summer camp.

This innovation of a summer camp, started several years ago, with about fifty boys, has grown rapidly and is proving a boon to parents in a busy world today and serving as a definite contribution to the war effort. Besides this, the parents and relatives of boys registered in the camp who come to visit them, bring new business to Bay St. Louis and the boys themselves add to the business of the city by their purchases and requirements while here.

CHARLES H. HAMILTON SUMMER RESIDENT DIES AT NEW ORLEANS HOME

Charles H. Hamilton, New Orleans business and civic leader, died last week, at the age of 71, years, at his home in New Orleans, after an illness of several years.

Funeral services were conducted on Friday from the Hour of Bultman, with Rev. Joseph Pzykiewicz, pastor of Mater Dolorosa Church, officiating, followed by religious rites at the church, and interment in Metairie cemetery.

Mr. Hamilton is survived by his widow, the former Miss Mary Catherine Foley; two sons, Lieutenant Harry D. Hamilton, United States Naval Reserve, and C. Herbert Hamilton, two brothers, Oscar B. Hamilton and Alphonse J. Hamilton, and three grandchildren.

A native of New Orleans, he was active for many years in the business and civic affairs of that city. In 1901 he was made secretary of the Merchants' Coffee Company after having participated in the organization of the firm. In 1913 he was named secretary-treasurer of the company, which position he held at the time of his death.

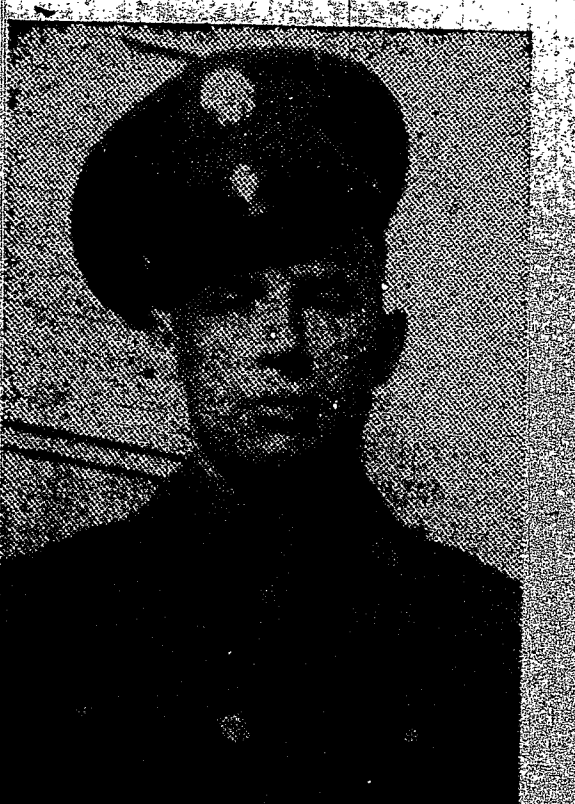
Mr. Hamilton maintained a summer home in Waveland, and is well known there and in Bay St. Louis. He loved to come to the coast, and was one of its greatest boosters.

The Echo extends to his family and loved ones its sincere sympathy.

Meeting of Bay Rotary Club

The Bay St. Louis Rotary Club met on Wednesday at noon at Hotel Reed for its weekly luncheon and meeting and had as their guest speaker for the day Captain J. W. Leatherwood of the U. S. Merchant Marine who has just returned from a trip to Munksgaard, Russia, and his talk was immensely enjoyed by Rotarians present.

Hancock County Brothers In Service



SGT. HENRY GIBSON

Mrs. Cornelia Gibson of Aaron Academy community has three sons in the service of their country. Technical Sergeant Henry Gibson is on duty in the South Pacific; Technical Sergeant Willard Gibson is in the European Area, and Private Louis D. Gibson is attached to a medical Battalion and is stationed at Camp Rucker, Alabama.



SGT. WILLARD GIBSON



PVT. LOUIS D. GIBSON

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CONFERENCE

Bay St. Louis, Miss., June 8th—The Second Annual Rural Life School for Rural Priests and Rural Leaders under the auspices of the National Catholic Rural Life Conference, opened at St. Stanislaus, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, Monday, June 7. The school will run from Monday, June 7th, until Saturday, June 12. This National Catholic Rural Life Conference was organized for the express purpose of bringing about a better understanding of the Rural Problems by Rural Priests and Rural Life Leaders. The knowledge and experience gained by these Rural Leaders are brought to the various rural communities of the agricultural South and will result in better cooperation between the farmers and the Rural Leaders.

The address of welcome was given by His Excellency, the Most Rev. R. O. Gerow, D. D., Bishop of Natchez, Mississippi. Rev. Robert Tracy, Director of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine in the Diocese of New Orleans explained the work of the Confraternity as it has been applied to the Rural Districts.

The Rev. Hubert Lerschen, Regional Director for the South welcomed the members of the Conference and summed up the purpose of the meeting with the words, "We hope to bring about a better understanding of our Rural Problems among our Priests and Rural Leaders."

The principal speaker of the Monday morning session was His Excellency, the Most Rev. Francis Joseph Rummel, S. T. D., Archbishop of New Orleans. In his talk, the Archbishop stressed the fact that the Catholic Church and its country pastors in particular "must be alert and conscious of their responsibility to help solve the rural problems."

Said the Archbishop, "Country-side has laid the foundation for the city population. We must keep the stream of American population pure and crystal-like. We must strive to make rural living interesting and attractive. The city Pastor deals with mobile masses. In Catholic territories, we take too much for granted. Adult religious instruction through discussion clubs is most necessary. Priests should interest themselves in farming, co-operatives, welfare movements, etc. A Priest can and must contribute to the thinking of his community."

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. L. G. Ligutti, Executive Secretary of the National Catholic Rural Life Conference in his "Diagnosis of the Problems of the South," laid down three fundamental principles or aims for the agricultural South. 1st. Widespread ownership of productive property as a basis of a real democracy; 2nd. Self-sufficiency of the family as the basis of independence and 3rd. The necessity of co-operative endeavors for prosperity.

In the afternoon session, presided over by the Rev. William Castel, Pastor of St. Rita's, New Orleans, La., Mr. Thomas Doig, Assistant Manager of the Credit Union National Association, the Conference on the subject of "Self Help in Credit Unions." Said Mr. Doig, "Credit Union is a set-up under Federal and State Laws with the idea of promoting thrift among members, the use of funds to take care of the needs of members and the eliminating of usury or the practice of charging excessive interest on personal credit."

Mr. Doig explained that there are at present 10,000 Credit Unions operating in the country, serving an estimated 4,000,000 people and with assets of more than \$350,000,000. Of the 10,000 Credit Unions approximately 300 are Parish Unions. Mr. Doig stressed the fact that the Credit Unions tie in with the program of the Catholic Church in the question of Rural Life problems. "Usury is caused by greed and the Catholic Church insists on the responsibilities of man to his fellow men. Priests must be interested in both economics and finance."

In the last session of the evening, Mr. T. M. Patterson, Jackson, Mississippi, addressed the Conference on the "Agricultural Adjustment Administration."

June 9.—The features of the second day of the Rural Life School at St. Stanislaus, Bay St. Louis, Miss., were addressed by the Rev. George Hildner and a three-cornered debate among Mr. Owen Cooper of Jackson, Miss., representing the Farm Bureau; Dr. M. F. Dickinson of Little Rock, representing the Farmers Union; and Dr. M. D. Steward, Regional Director of Little Rock, Ark., speaking for the Farm Security Administration. His Excellency, the Most Rev. J. B. Jeannard, D. D., Bishop of Lafayette, Louisiana, was

the Honorary Chairman of Tuesday's session.

Father George Hildner of Villa Ridge, Missouri, rural Pastor for 38 years was the principal attraction of the day. Known as the "Fighting Priest of Missouri," to the American public and to his fellow Priests as "Alfalfa George," Father Hildner and his story of service to the Rural people of Missouri have received nation-wide publicity in the April issue of the Farm Journal and in the May issue of the Reader's Digest. Said Father Hildner, "Each farm has different problems and the Rural Pastor should know the problems of his people and help with the solution. A Rural Pastor must build both for Religion and for Citizenship. He can keep himself busy seeking to help his fellowmen and thus will uplift the community."

Father Hildner advocated more friendly cooperation between church leaders so that the peoples of various faiths would follow the example of these leaders. In his closing remarks, Father Hildner admonished the members of the Conference that "the Rural Pastor should live for the people and not off the people."

An all-day debate among representatives of the Farm Bureau, the Farmer's Union and the Farm Security Administration was held. Mr. Owen Cooper of the Farm Bureau presented arguments in defense of the attitude of the Farm Bureau in its fight against the Farm Security Administration and the Agriculture Adjustment Administration. "People should not be given things; they should have to work for them," said Dr. Cooper.

Dr. M. F. Dickinson, a member of the National Board of Directors of the Farmer's Union presented the aims of the Union and the Legislative Educational Program of the organization. In Dr. Dickinson's words, "Let me submit herewith some of the things for which the Farmer's Union is fighting: 1. 'Happy Farm Homes.' 2. Better Government Credit Agencies. 3. Better Educational Opportunities. 4. A System of Cooperatives. 5. A Policy of Abundance. 6. A Better Economic System." "Our Legislative Program is 1st. Adequate Farm Credit. 2nd. Parity Income For Agriculture. 3rd. Crop Insurance and 4th. Enable More Tenants to Buy Homes."

Dr. M. D. Steward, Regional Director of F. S. A., Little Rock, Ark., unfolded the sad picture of housing, lack of education and health of the farming people of the states of Arkansas, Louisiana and Mississippi.

Wednesday, June 10.—The third day of the Catholic Rural Life Conference was featured by a general clinic on Cooperatives led by Dr. Carl Tausch of the Department of Agriculture. The difficulties of rural cooperatives, the history of cooperatives and the educational features of cooperatives were discussed. It was stated that "Priests should exercise their full endeavors in the educational field but not in actual running of cooperatives."

Mr. Claude Smith, secretary of the Forrest County Cooperatives, Hattiesburg, Mississippi explained the work of the egg cooperative. He answered details about the question of management.

Mr. L. I. Jones, Director of Extension, State College, Minn., led the morning discussions. Mr. Jones stressed the need of leadership particularly on the part of rural Pastors. Mr. Jones declared "leadership and progress in a community go hand in hand." Mr. John R. Williams, District Agent for Extension, Jackson, Miss., assisted Mr. Jones in these discussions.

Miss Elaine Massey, State leader of 4-H Girls stated that "The Attitude of homes and of the general public towards rural living is that which forms the attitude of young farm people as to rural living." Miss Massey also discussed at length the problems of how to keep girls on the farms.

Mr. H. S. Johnson, State leader of the 4-H Boys said: "We need the sympathy of urbanites toward the conditions of rural people." Mr. Rev. Msgr. James Garney, Rector, Home Missions Seminary, Little Rock, Arkansas discussed the problems peculiar to the South. Said Msgr. Garney, "The Catholic Committee of the South banded together to study the problems of the South and to bring to bear Catholic principles in their solutions. We must build leadership that will help solve the problems peculiar to the South—Problems of Labor and Management of Rural Living; of Rural Education; of Rural Youth; and of Race Relations."

The Rev. Hubert Lerschen was announced as the chairman of the Rural Section of the Catholic Committee of the South.

Mrs. Cora Roig Lapsley
Dies at Baptist Hospital in
New Orleans

A small group, mostly women, and numbering between 15 and 20, gathered Friday afternoon to pay last respects to Mrs. Cora Roig Lapsley, once one of the most noted of concert singers and pianists of Europe. Mrs. Lapsley, who was 86, died at midnight Thursday at Baptist Hospital where she had been a patient since March 6.

For many years Mrs. Lapsley had been a resident of Bay St. Louis, living in a beach cottage near St. Stanislaus. Few in New Orleans or Bay St. Louis knew her background. There were no relatives.

Mrs. Lapsley had requested simple services. Rites were conducted by the Salvation Army whose members held the service of that group—an accordion furnished music for the singing of such hymns and songs as "Nearer My God To Thee" and "In the Sweet By and By." Rites were at the Jacob Schenck and Son Funeral Home on Canal Street.

Her intimates knew only that she lived by herself in seemingly poverty, yet cared for numbers of stray cats and dogs and was curiously interested in those of the neighborhood children who could sing. They knew what a vast-to-do was raised over an attempt to rob the Lapsley cottage some years ago, but never learned that all the property taken was recovered for it consisted of a very large number of non-negotiable bonds which could not be sold. The attempt to sell them ultimately led to the apprehension of the robbers. They did not know that occasionally, even in her old years, she would play and sing for these few friends to whom she had revealed herself; that her gnarled fingers, bared of the ringed gems which sparkled there in her youth, were still nimble over the keys of a piano; and her voice still rich and lovely in the small rooms where occasionally she would sing.

They knew, too, that her church interests were completely and continuously varied, that she might attend a Catholic Mass one Sunday and services at a church representing any one of a dozen different Protestant denominations the next. She held in high esteem the non-sectarian activities of the Salvation Army and is believed to have contributed generously to its support.

They did not know that she had walked with kings and queens as a girl, that she had sung before every court in Europe, that her voice had brought her fame and fortune, fortune of most of which she still possessed in bonds, and in real estate in New York, and elsewhere about the globe. For to the last she jealously guarded all her business interests from all but a few bankers, and transacted most of her affairs herself.

Nor did they know of the large benefactions she had given away to institutions she deemed worthy, and by her own request, no publicity whatever was to be given to the last arrangements she made for the disposal of her estate to charity. She was merely the little old eccentric lady who lived in seeming poverty in the little cottage on the beach.

To one friend she confided the reason for her odd way of living. "Life," she said "owes me nothing in fact, I owe more to life than I can ever repay. I had such a splendid youth, so full of rich enjoyment and pleasure, that when youth passed, I decided to do what I could to repay life, for having been so kind, to me, to spend no more of my fortune on my own comforts and pleasures, but to husband it all that it might be of service to others after my death."

Mrs. Lapsley had no surviving family. It is believed she is a native of England, possibly Ireland. Her husband had died some time before she came south to live the life of a recluse in Bay St. Louis, and the only relatives, a sister, died in Mobile some years ago.

Extremely well read, and widely educated, she spoke with authority on many phases of ancient history, occasionally astonishing even her few intimates with the depth of her knowledge of such subjects.

The following from here attended the funeral: Mr. and Mrs. Leo W. Seal; Mrs. Rene de Montluzin, Misses Ruth Cazeneuve, Alice and Hilda Spori.

Sellers News

MR. and Mrs. J. A. Dedeaux returned home Saturday from Gautier, after spending a few days with their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Smith.

The many friends of Miss Johnnie Mae Anderson are glad to have her back home. Miss Anderson has been away in school at Shreveport, La. She has been away from her friends the entire session and is very popular with the younger set.

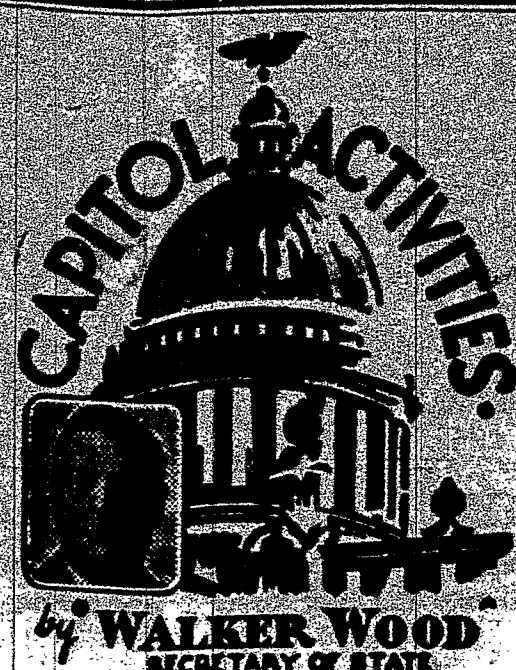
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stewart, Mrs. Harold Thomas and children of Gautier, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Shaw.

Mr. Audrey Kent Ladner and Talmadge Shaw had their tonsils removed in Jackson Co. Hospital at Pascagoula last week. Both are getting along nicely.

Mrs. Lucia Neacase and children spent last week end with her mother.

Mr. Luke Sanchez, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sanchez of New Orleans were visitors here over the week end.

Mrs. Mabel Miller and daughter of Bay St. Louis are spending awhile at the home of her sister, self



More Candidates

Since the last article in this column some new announcements have been filed with the Secretary of State, and among them are: John B. Burkett, campaign manager for Lester Franklin, Greek L. Rice, for Attorney General; S. E. "SI" Corley for Agricultural Commissioner; John Sharp Williams, 3rd, Yazoo City, for Insurance Commissioner; Tom Q. Ellis for Supreme Court Clerk. Neither of the four state candidates named above have opposition. Fielding Wright, for Lieutenant Governor, with two opponents. Others are Sidney T. Roebuck for Highway Commissioner, present incumbent and lives in Newton County; Omer J. Bullen for Public Service Commissioner, present incumbent and lives in Tishomingo County. Among those announced for the legislature are H. L. Starnford, Union County; H. C. Stinger, Floater for Hinds and Yazoo; John S. Clark, Smith County; J. T. Brown, inside City of Jackson, and Reginald Taylor, outside the city.

College Board Meets

The Board of Trustees for the University and Colleges, held a meeting in the Governor's Office in Jackson on Tuesday of last week. One of the things done, was to abandon all inter-collegiate sports for the duration of the war. An increase of salary for many of the professors was ordered for the purpose of meeting the increased cost of living. It seems that the State College had a very satisfactory year in spite of the extraordinary conditions imposed by the war.

Fine Tribute

Congressman Jamie Whitten, of the second district, delivered a fitting and very splendid tribute on the floor of the House a few days ago in honor of the late Major Kenneth McCullar, of Panola County, whose untimely death was caused by a freakish accident. Major McCullar left to his credit one of the finest records of achievement of any 25 year-old man in the United States Army. The glory of his splendid record belongs not alone to Panola County, but to the State of Mississippi and the entire nation.

Senator Stubbs

Sen. L. E. Stubbs, of Covington County, has been discharged from the army on account of his physical condition. Stubbs was in his legislative exemption and joined the army and was one of the first in his age group to leave his country. After spending some time in the hospital in the State of Washington he was discharged and is now resting at his home in Collins.

Tartt Resigns

Elanath Tartt, superintendent of the Soldiers Home at Beauvoir, has resigned on account of ill health. He was elected a few weeks ago to succeed his wife who recently died. Mr. and Mrs. Tartt, one or the other has held that position for about 25 years. At one time they had more than 300 Confederate soldiers in the home. They now have one soldier and 30 widows.

Raking Around

Prime Minister Churchill stressed with understandable satisfaction the great losses of war material by the Germans in the African campaign, which included, he said, 6,200 guns. It took a lot of going without butter in Germany to furnish these guns to the Allies. A sign in front of a New York gasoline station: "Drop in once in a while, it only to renew old friendship." The cancellation of the six per cent increase in railroad freight rates secured by the O.P.A. was said by that office to reflect a saving of more than \$350,000,000 a year mostly for the public. Loans to private businesses which have lost their earning power will be made by the RFC Mortgage Company, announced Secretary of Commerce Jones. The loans would be used to pay taxes, insurance, etc., and would carry four per cent interest. Tea supplies on hand in the United States at the end of March were given as 11,000,000 pounds, as compared with 35,000,000 a year earlier. Under the allocation plan this country is scheduled to receive 65,000,000 pounds a year, chiefly from India and Ceylon. Value of U. S. exports in March, 1943, was \$331,000,000—a new high record. Lend-Lease shipments were included, but not supplies to our own overseas forces. Imports for the month were valued at \$248,000,000. Figures are from the Commerce Department. The last month of fighting in Tunisia cost the U. S. forces an estimated 5,000 casualties, which means dead, wounded, captured and missing. This number brought the Army's estimated casualties for the first 17 months of the

and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ladner.

News has been received from Pvt. Sylvester Neacase, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rosaire Neacase that he is in the hospital.

Sylvester says he is in the best of health and was enjoying himself

Aaron Academy

THE shower given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. James Fleming Shaw was attended by a large crowd and they received many beautiful and useful presents.

We have several of our service men home on furlough. Pvt. Dallas (Pepe) Frierson, Sgt. J. Q. Frierson, Corp. Otis Mitchell and Lieut. Lewisford Williams.

News from Clayton Stewart and Oliver Frierson say that they are in Pensacola, Florida at present.

Mrs. Roy Thigpen and baby have gone to Fort Ord, California to spend a while with Roy.

Mrs. Wiley Frierson had news from her son W. C. He is still in England and is O. K. and happy.

Granny Sanders is visiting relatives in Jackson and Crystal Springs at present.

Mrs. Errol Bridges spent last week with her sister Mrs. Isaac Frierson. Other visitors of the week end were Mr. Bridges and Mr. and Mrs. Dunn of New Orleans.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Louis Thigpen were Mrs. Roland Estive and children, Mr. and Mrs. Cory Campbell and son, Mr. and Mrs. David Campbell and daughter.

Attending the wedding in New Orleans of Miss Lara Mae Ard and Mason Smith from our community, were Doc Thigpen, Fred Thigpen, Mrs. Leo Thigpen, Olivea Pitts, Mrs. Gus Thigpen and Mrs. Louis Thigpen.

Our community is deeply grieved over the death of a leading citizen and relative Mr. S. B. Whitfield on Sunday a. m.

COLORED SOLDIER SUFFERS
HEART ATTACK

Staff Sergeant Daniel Shaeffield, colored, from the Bombing Range and Guntery, suffered a heart attack while bathing in the Bay at the head of Washington street on Sunday afternoon at about 4 o'clock.

After receiving medical aid he was sent by the base ambulance to the camp. Commander Klenyer said he had recently been transferred to the range from the Key Field at Meridian.

war to a total of 85,000. The Navy announced in mid-May that its total casualties, including those of the Marine Corps and Coast Guard, came to 23,943, of whom 12,054 were listed as "missing." Merchant Marine casualties at the same time were given as 4,455 since September, 1941. "Anxious war losses," in all services, were estimated by Col. A. R. Gurnsborough, of the War Department's Industrial Services division to amount now to a daily average of 150 men. But U. S. losses in Africa were small compared with those of the British, and of the enemy. It was stated in the British Parliament after the end of the African campaign that British losses in Africa and the Middle East since Italy entered the war June 10, 1940 were 220,000 killed, wounded and missing. German losses in these same area were put at 227,000 and Italian at 400,000. Prime Minister Churchill fixed the Axis losses in Africa, in round numbers, at 950,000 men.

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POWER GENERATION. More than one half of all the electric power generated by electric light and power companies in the U. S. is produced by generators manufactured by General Electric.

And such has been the improvement in the efficiency of turbine-driven generators that if the electric power used in 1942 had been produced with the machines of 1924, it would have required more than a million extra cars of coal and one hundred and forty thousand men just to mine and haul this extra coal.

POWER DISTRIBUTION. To have ample power available wherever new war plants have sprung up requires large and highly efficient transforming and switching equipment and the solution of highly intricate engineering problems. General Electric has had a hand, and a head, in the development and manufacture of much of this equipment.

POWER UTILIZATION. Building machines, lamps, and appliances that put electricity to work more efficiently in factories and homes is one of our most important jobs. The United States has more of these electrical helpers than any other nation. In 1942, the average home used twice as much electricity as in 1930, and in those 12 years the average price per kilowatt-hour decreased 40%.

This is only a small part of the story of America's electrical industry. When the full story becomes history with the passing of the years, it will reveal a group of men who, with a determination which now seems providential, kept co-operatively developing new and better equipment, increasing generating capacity, lowering costs, expanding service, planning always to be ready for the demands of the future. It will be a story of remarkable vision and courage—for it all had to be planned, and the work started, years ahead of the need.

The next time you meet a man from your electric service company, be he the local manager, or meter reader, or spurred lineman carrying out his assignment in rain, snow, or heavy winds, give him a word of encouragement—for he is the man who is making it unnecessary for you to stand in line for electric power. General Electric Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

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Auto Use Tax Stamps To
Be On Sale at Postoffices
Thursday, June 10.

Jackson, Miss., June 7.—Collector of Internal Revenue Eugene Fly announced today that auto use tax stamps in the denomination of \$5.00 will be placed on sale in all postoffices and offices of Collectors of Internal Revenue on Thursday, June 10. The stamps will evidence payment of the tax for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1943, and must be purchased on or before that date. The stamps will be serially numbered, will be gummed on the face, and will have provision on the back for entry of the make, model, serial number and State license number of the vehicle.

Mr. Fly said that to guard against loss by theft, it has been suggested that, when affixing the stamps, the vehicle owner should dampen the windshield rather than the adhesive side of the stamp. This method has been recommended to keep the stamp intact upon the windshield. As an additional precaution, it has also been suggested that each motor vehicle owner should make a record of the serial number which appears on the use tax stamp in the event the stamp should become lost.

Every owner of a motor vehicle which is used upon the highways should call at his local postoffice or at the office of the Internal Revenue Collector and secure a \$5.00 use tax stamp and affix it to his vehicle.

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REGULAR MONTHLY MEET CO. BOARD SUPERVISORS.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK

Be it remembered that a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, State of Mississippi, was begun and held at the Court House of said County in the City of Bay St. Louis, on Monday, April 5th, 1943, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., the same being the time and place for the holding of said meeting.

There were present, to-wit: Chas. B. Murphy, President of said Board, John B. Wheat, Calvin Shaw, Lander Neale, and Ed. P. Ortle, Members; H. L. Kergsten, Sheriff of said County, and A. G. Favre, Clerk of said Board.

Be it ordered by the Board that pursuant to Chapter 317 of the Laws of 1938 that the following demands and accounts be approved and allowed, and that said demands and accounts shall be paid out of the respective funds as allowed by this Board.

And be it further ordered that the Clerk of this Board shall issue warrants out of the respective funds covering said demands and accounts. The said demands and accounts being numbered as follows, to-wit:

1285, 1286, 1287, 1288, 1289, 1290, 1291, 1292, 1293, 1294, 1295, 1296, 1297, 1298, 1299, 1300, 1301, 1302, 1303, 1304, 1305, 1306, 1307, 1308, 1309, 1310, 1311, 1312, 1313, 1314, 1315, 1316, 1317, 1318, 1319, 1320, 1321, 1322, 1323, 1324, 1325, 1326, 1327, 1328, 1329, 1330, 1331, 1332, 1333, 1334, 1335, 1336, 1337, 1338, 1339, 1340, 1341, 1342, 1343, 1344, 1345, 1346, 1347, 1348, 1349, 1350, 1351, 1352, 1353, 1354, 1355, 1356, 1357, 1358, 1359, 1360, 1361, 1362, 1363, 1364, 1365, 1366, 1367, 1368, 1369, 1370, 1371, 1372, 1373, 1374, 1375, 1376, 1377, 1378, 1379, 1380, 1381, 1382, 1383, 1384, 1385, 1386, 1387, 1388, 1389, 1390, 1391, 1392, 1393, 1394, 1395, 1396, 1397, 1398, 1399, 1400, 1401, 1402, 1403, 1404, 1405, 1406, 1407, 1408, 1409, 1410, 1411, 1412, 1413, 1414, 1415, 1416, 1417, 1418, 1419, 1420, 1421, 1422, 1423, 1424, 1425, 1426, 1427, 1428, 1429, 1430, 1431, 1432, 1433, 1434, 1435, 1436, 1437, 1438, 1439, 1440, 1441, 1442, 1443, 1444, 1445, 1446, 1447, 1448, 1449, 1450, 1451, 1452, 1453, 1454, 1455, 1456, 1457, 1458, 1459, 1460, 1461, 1462, 1463, 1464, 1465, 1466, 1467, 1468, 1469, 1470, 1471, 1472, 1473, 1474, 1475, 1476, 1477, 1478, 1479, 1480, 1481, 1482, 1483, 1484, 1485, 1486, 1487, 1488, 1489, 1490, 1491, 1492, 1493.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until Friday morning, April 9th, 1943, at 9:30 o'clock A. M.

CHAS. B. MURPHY, Pres.
Friday morning, April 9th, 1943, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., the Board met pursuant to adjournment. There were present as on Monday, April 5th, 1943.

Whereas the Hibernal National Bank in New Orleans was the owner of Bonds Nos. 644, 645, and 646 of Hancock County Road Protection Refunding Bonds of 1938, bearing 5 per cent interest, and

Whereas the said Bank misplaced or lost three coupons of \$25.00 each detached from said Bonds, and

Whereas said Hibernal National Bank in New Orleans has filed a curity bond for double the amount of the value of said coupons, and the Board having approved said bond,

It is, therefore, ordered that the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby directed to issue warrant out of the Highway Fund, payable to the Highway Fund in the sum of \$66.21.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby directed to issue warrant out of the Highway Fund, payable to the Highway Fund in the sum of \$66.21.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until Monday morning, April 12th, 1943, at 9:00 o'clock A. M.

CHAS. B. MURPHY, President.
Monday morning, April 12th, 1943, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., the Board met pursuant to adjournment. There were present as on Friday, April 9th, 1943.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby directed to issue warrant out of the Seawall Fund, payable to the Road Protection Fund in the sum of \$200.00.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until Friday morning, April 16th, 1943, at 9:00 o'clock A. M.

CHAS. B. MURPHY, President.
Friday morning, April 16th, 1943, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., the Board met pursuant to adjournment. There were present as on Monday, April 12th, 1943.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until Monday morning, April 19th, 1943, at 9:00 o'clock A. M.

CHAS. B. MURPHY, President.
Monday morning, April 19th, 1943, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., the Board met pursuant to adjournment. There were present as on Friday, April 16th, 1943.

Whereas petitions have been filed showing that certain lands have been transferred and that the present owners desire that said property be assessed thereon,

It is, therefore, ordered that the land hereinafter described be assessed to the parties appearing therein as the owners for the year 1942, to-wit:

From E. J. Frierson Est., to Lou Fleming:
Lot 1, subdivision of the SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 13-7-17, 2 acres cultivated, valued at \$200.00, improvements valued at \$25.00, 4 acres wild, valued at \$20.00.

From Mrs. Marvin Spikes to City of Bay St. Louis:
Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 M. V. Delcor, lot 1, Lander Sub., 3rd Ward, Bay St. Louis.

From A. C. Brown to A. E. Voigt:
Part Lots 2 and 3, Section 34 T. 8 S. 14 W.,

From F. W. Earhart and J. H. Berner to Mrs. F. W. Bennett:
Lots 40 and 41, Sq. 26, B. S. L. & Imp. Co., land valued at \$4000.

From F. A. Earhart and J. H. Berner to Leslie W. Bennett:
Lots 38, 39, Sq. 96, B. S. L. & Imp. Co., land valued at \$10.00.

From F. A. Earhart and J. H. Berner to Leslie W. Bennett:
Lots 42 and 43, Sq. 96, B. S. L. & Imp. Co., land valued at \$10.00.

From Mrs. J. M. Burns to Richard Joseph McGinity:
S. 87 ft. of Lot 222, S. 87 ft. of Lot 221, Lots 223, 224 N. 23 ft. of super triangle, 4th Ward, Bay St. Louis.

From L. L. Kergsten to Robert J. Fee:
Lots 28, 31, 36, 39 and NW 26 ft. of lot 43, Tannertree Sub., 2nd Ward, Waveland.

From Mare Soniat to Chas. E. Rhodes, et ux:
Lots 3-4, West 51 ft. Hallentine Sub., 4th Ward, Bay St. Louis.

From John Gidierre to Edward A. Kerrigan:
S 1/2 of lot 13, all of 14, Finks Sub., 3rd Ward, Waveland.

From Guyra Land & Imp. Co., to Ed. L. Willette:
Lots 6, 7, 8, Sq. 3, Santa Rosa Sub., land valued at \$15.00.

In the Matter of the Assessment of John Peter Rabito
This day came on for hearing and consideration by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, petition of John Peter Rabito for reduction in the assessment of real property assessed to the said petitioner, assessed to the said page 107 and line 21 on said 1942-43 Real Roll as shown in said petition, the reduction being asked for the ground that a clerical error had been made by the Tax Assessor in transferring the assessment from the assessment sheets to the land roll.

And it appearing to the Board of Supervisors from the evidence, both oral and documentary, offered in support of said application, that the roll is incorrect in the following: should be assessed at \$300.00, it is, therefore, ordered by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, that the assessment on page 107, line 21 be reduced as follows:

Land now assessed at \$600.00, should be assessed at \$350.00 and improvements now assessed at \$300 should be assessed at \$225.00, being a total reduction of the assessment on said roll of \$325.00, all said changes being for the years 1942-1943.

It is further ordered, that the Clerk of this Board certify two copies of this order to the State Tax Commission, for its approval or disapproval, and if the foregoing order be approved by the State Tax Commission, the Clerk of this Board is hereby authorized and directed to change the Original Assessment Roll in his office, and the Sheriff and Tax Collector of this County is hereby authorized and directed to conform with the provisions of this order, and the proper credit therefor, including district taxes, and Homestead Exemption, if any, be adjusted.

Ordered and adjudged this 19th day of April, 1943.

CHAS. B. MURPHY, President.
In the Matter of the Assessment of James L. Crump
This day came on for hearing and consideration by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, petition of James L. Crump for reduction in the assessment of real property, assessed to the said petitioner, assessed to the said page 101, line 14 on said 1942-43 Real Roll as shown in said petition, the said reduction being asked for the ground that said property has been assessed for more than its actual value.

And it appearing to the Board of Supervisors from the evidence, both oral and documentary, offered in support of said application, that the circumstances alleged in said petition, as shown in said petition, are true, and that said assessment should be reduced from \$4300.00 to \$3000.00.

And the Board being fully satisfied that said assessment is excessive, and that said assessment should be reduced, and that the Board should so order.

It is, therefore, ordered by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, that said assessment be reduced from \$4300.00 to \$3000.00, being a total reduction in the assessment subject to state taxes of \$1300.00 for the year 1942-1943; and that said assessment subject to county taxes of \$1300.00 for the years 1942-1943.

It is further ordered, that the Clerk of this Board certify two copies of this order to the State Tax Commission, for its approval or disapproval, and if the foregoing order be approved by the State Tax Commission, the Clerk of this Board is hereby authorized and directed to change the Original Assessment Roll in his office, and the Sheriff and Tax Collector of this County is hereby authorized and directed to conform with the provisions of this order, and the proper credit therefor, including district taxes, and Homestead Exemption, if any, be adjusted.

Ordered and adjudged this 19th day of April, 1943.

CHAS. B. MURPHY, President.
In the Matter of the Assessment of Corinne Bourgeois Estate
This day came on for hearing and consideration by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, petition of Corinne Bourgeois Estate, for reduction in the assessment of real property, assessed to the said petitioner, assessed to the said page 101, line 14 on said 1942-43 Real Roll as shown in said petition, the said reduction being asked for the ground that improvements thereon did not exist on the next preceding tax lien date.

And it appearing to the Board of Supervisors from the evidence, both oral and documentary, offered in support of said application, that the improvements assessed thereon did not exist on the next preceding tax lien date, and that the roll is incorrect in the following: should be reduced from \$1200.00 to \$200.00, it is, therefore, ordered by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, that the assessment on page 101, line 14 be reduced from \$1200.00 to \$200.00, being a total reduction of the assessment on said roll of \$1000.00, all said changes being for the year 1943.

It is further ordered, that the Clerk of this Board certify two copies of this order to the State Tax Commission, for its approval or disapproval, and if the foregoing order be approved by the State Tax Commission, the Clerk of this Board is hereby authorized and directed to change the Original Assessment Roll in his office, and the Sheriff and Tax Collector of this County is hereby authorized and directed to conform with the provisions of this order, and the proper credit therefor, including district taxes, and Homestead Exemption, if any, be adjusted.

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And it appearing to the Board of Supervisors from the evidence, both oral and documentary, offered in support of said application, that the circumstances alleged in said petition, as shown in said petition, are true, and that said assessment should be reduced from \$4300.00 to \$3000.00.

And the Board being fully satisfied that said assessment is excessive, and that said assessment should be reduced, and that the Board should so order.

It is, therefore, ordered by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, that said assessment be reduced from \$4300.00 to \$3000.00, being a total reduction in the assessment subject to state taxes of \$1300.00 for the year 1942-1943; and that said assessment subject to county taxes of \$1300.00 for the years 1942-1943.

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ORTTE THEATER

Sunday-Monday, June 13-14

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...in the NEWEST and FUNNIEST of All Their Glorious Films!

BUD ABBOTT and LOU COSTELLO

DAMON RUNYON'S It Ain't Hay

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Screen Play, Alan Ross; John Glee

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Produced by ALEX. GOTTLIEB

A UNIVERSAL PICTURE

Monthly Proceedings
Board of Supervisors

(Continued on page three)

E. 35 ft. of Lot 59, 2nd Ward, Waveland, land valued at \$25.00. From Ernest W. Drackett to Elmer G. Doerris.

Pat N^o. of Lot 7, Sec. 34-8-14, 10 acres land assessed for \$56.00. The petition of W. Clarence Randolph for reduction in assessment is received and considered by the Board and ordered rejected.

In the Matter of the Assessment of City of Bay St. Louis.

This day came on for hearing and consideration by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, petition of City of Bay St. Louis for reduction in assessment of real property, assessed to the said petitioner as the owner thereof, at the page and lines on said 1942-43 real roll as shown in said petition, the said reduction being asked on the ground that said property belonged to the City of Bay St. Louis and is not taxable.

And it appearing to the Board of Supervisors from the evidence, both oral and documentary, offered in support of said application that the assessment as it now appears on said roll is incorrect in the following particulars:

The assessments should be removed entirely, said property being non-taxable.

It is, therefore, ordered by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, that the assessments on page 186, lines 35, 36 and 37 be reduced from \$20.00 to 0 on each line, being a total reduction of the assessment on said roll of \$60.00; all said changes being for the years 1942-43.

It is further ordered, that the Clerk of this Board certify two copies of this order to the State Tax Commission, for its approval or disapproval; and, if the foregoing order be approved by the State Tax Commission, the Clerk of this Board is hereby authorized and directed to change the Copy in his possession, to conform with the provisions of this order; and the Sheriff and Tax Collector be given proper credit therefor, including district taxes; and Homestead Exemption, if any, be adjusted.

Ordered and adjudged this the 7th day of May, A. D. 1943.

CHAS. B. MURPHY,
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In the Matter of the Assessment of J. W. Roberts.

This day came on for hearing and consideration by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, petition of J. W. Roberts for reduction in the assessment of real property, assessed to the said petitioner as the owner thereof, at the page and line on said 1942-43 real roll as shown in said petition, the said reduction being asked on the ground that the improvements ceased to exist before the next preceding tax lien date, having been destroyed by fire, with the exception of about \$100.00 worth.

And it appearing to the Board of Supervisors from the evidence, both oral and documentary, offered in support of said application that the assessment as it now appears on said roll is incorrect in the following particulars:

Improvements thereon have ceased to exist with the exception of about \$100.00 worth before the next preceding tax lien date, and the assessment in the amount of \$900.00 on said improvements should be \$100.00.

It is, therefore, ordered by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, that the assessment on said roll of \$900.00; all said changes being for the years 1942-43.

It is further ordered, that the Clerk of this Board certify two copies of this order to the State Tax Commission, for its approval or disapproval; and, if the foregoing order be approved by the State Tax Commission, the Clerk of this Board is hereby authorized and directed to change the Copy in his possession, to conform with the provisions of this order; and the Sheriff and Tax Collector be given proper credit therefor, including district taxes; and Homestead Exemption, if any, be adjusted.

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This day came on for hearing and consideration by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, petition of Virgie P. Hood for reduction in the assessment of real property, assessed to the said petitioner as the owner thereof, at the page and line on said 1942-43 real roll as shown in said petition, the said reduction being asked on the ground that the building assessed on said property did not exist and was erroneously assessed thereon.

And it appearing to the Board of

Miss Ruth Garcia of Argentina to be Guest Speaker at Dist. B. T. U. Convention

Miss Ruth Garcia, native of Argentina, at present a student at Blue Mountain College will be the guest speaker at the District B. T. U. Convention meeting at Wiggins, June 17th. Miss Garcia is an attractive speaker, and will have interesting human interest stories to tell of her native land. In addition to Miss Garcia's message other interesting features will mark the program.

The evening program will include motion pictures, showing the Baptist Orphanage and other phases of Baptist work in the state. All pictures are in color. The slogan is "Two School Busses From Each County Bringing Representatives from Every Church."

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And it appearing to the Board of Supervisors from the evidence, both oral and documentary, offered in support of said application that the assessment as it now appears on said roll is incorrect in the following particulars:

Assessment should be reduced from \$423.00 to 0, said property not being taxable.

It is, therefore, ordered by the

Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, that the assessment on page 189, line 1 be reduced from \$423.00 to 0, being a total reduction of the assessment on said roll of \$423.00; all said changes being for the year 1943.

It is further ordered, that the Clerk of this Board certify two copies of this order to the State Tax Commission, for its approval or disapproval; and, if the foregoing order be approved by the State Tax Commission, the Clerk of this Board is hereby authorized and directed to change the Copy in his possession, to conform with the provisions of this order; and the Sheriff and Tax Collector be given proper credit therefor, including district taxes; and Homestead Exemption, if any, be adjusted.

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And it appearing to the Board of Supervisors from the evidence, both oral and documentary, offered in support of said application that the assessment as it now appears on said roll is incorrect in the following particulars:

Improvements thereon did not exist prior to the next preceding tax lien date, and assessment thereon should be removed.

It is, therefore, ordered by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, that the assessment on page 43, line 26 should be reduced from \$125.00 to \$80.00, being a total reduction of \$45.00 on said roll; all said changes being for the years 1942-43.

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And it appearing to the Board of Supervisors from the evidence, both oral and documentary, offered in support of said application that the assessment as it now appears on said roll is incorrect in the following particulars:

Improvements thereon had been removed before the next preceding tax lien date, and assessment thereon should be removed.

It is, therefore, ordered by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, that the assessment on page 84, line 22 be reduced from \$855.00 to \$85.00, being a total reduction of the assessment on said roll of \$770.00; all said changes being for the year 1943.

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In the Matter of the Assessment of Victor Ladner.

On Sunday, June 5, 1943, at 4:15 o'clock p.m. Victor Ladner, beloved husband of Alma Mish, brother of Mrs. Simon Neider, Mrs. Norine Lind, Mrs. Jessie Knight, Mrs. Josephine Duboussin, Mrs. Thomas Bourgeois, Mrs. C. Quevas, and the late Mrs. Mary Carver, Mrs. Clementine Castanetto, Mrs. L. C. Carver and Isten Ladner; aged 71 years, a native of Waveland, Miss.

Funeral services were held Monday, June 7, 1943 from the Landum family funeral home, 1225 North Rampart street in New Orleans.

Interment was in St. Roch cemetery.

Mr. Ladner was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Etienne Ladner who were among the earlier residents of this county.

To the family the Echo extends sympathy at this time of their loss.

Congressional Sidelights

Congressman Wm. McColmer

STRIKE LEGISLATION

The House after three days of spirited and acrimonious debate passed the so-called Smith Connally Bill, by a vote of 231 to 141. The Bill now goes to the Senate, by which body it will be sent to conference between the two Houses. The Bill was what none us desired but was, as is usually the case, a compromise between all ad-

verses will work out the differences, and some kind of a bill dealing with strikes in times of war, will go to the President for his signature or veto.

Another highly controversial matter has been disposed of in the Congress. Both Houses have passed and sent to the President a bill which will radically change the method of collection of our income taxes.

As we have pointed out herebefore, this is not a tax bill; it is merely a change in the method of collection of taxes. The President has already asked for another tax bill to dig still further down into the pockets of John Q. Citizen to assist in meeting the tremendous and astronomical amounts of money necessary to carry on the conduct of the war.

The new law which is now on the President's desk to change the method of collection is the answer to the demand to place the taxpayer on a pay-as-you-go basis. It too, like all other legislation, is a compromise.

Under its provisions all taxpayers whose taxes for 1942 are less than \$50.00 are forgiven and their obligation for that year to the government is entirely wiped out. As to all other taxpayers, 75 per cent of their taxes for 1942 or 1943—which ever is the lower—is forgiven, with the exception of certain windfall protection to the Government for large earnings from war contracts. The 25 per cent of these taxes not forgiven may be paid in two equal installments on March 15, 1944 and March 15, 1945.

Any excuse you can give for not upping your payroll savings will please Hitler, Hirohito and puppet Mussolini.

"HIT PARADE OF 1943" AT A. & G. THEATER SUNDAY-MONDAY

A Galaxy of Stars in Riotous New Musical Comedy Film Hit

Add together the colorful personality of John Carroll, the "Hillbilly" beauty of Susan Hayward, the glamor of gorgeous Gail Patrick, and the hilarious comedy of Walter Catlett and Eve Arden. Top it off with the socko audience appeal of the favorite musical celebrities of the show world—including the orchestra of Freddy Martin, Count Basie, and Ray McKinley.

Then you know why everybody's talking about the super-swell kind of entertainment to be found in Republic's newest screen success, "Hit Parade of 1943," to be at the A. & G. Theater, Sunday and Monday.

Directed by Albert S. Rogell under the supervision of associate producer Albert J. Cohen, the film more than fulfills expectations in every way. For "parade" is the only word to describe the succession of sparkling song hits and eye-filling dance numbers.

In addition to those players already mentioned, importantly cast also are Melville Cooper and Mary Freeman.

The orchestras of Freddy Martin, Count Basie, and Ray McKinley play in the distinctive, individual style for which each has become famous. Outstanding specialties are contributed by Chinita, renowned Latin-American dancer; the popular dance team of Pops and Louie; and such favorite songsters of the airwaves as the Golden Gate Quartette, the Three Cheers and the Music Makers.

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Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County to be delivered to the Clerk of this Board not later than 11:00 o'clock A. M. on

MONDAY, JULY 5TH, 1943 for furnishing to Hancock County for a period of one year from date of the acceptance of said bid the following, to-wit:

Concrete Gravel, Wash Road Gravel, Concrete Sand, all the said materials to meet Mississippi State Highway Department specifications for the particular type of material required, which copies of said specifications are on file in the office of the Clerk of this Board.

The successful bidder shall furnish bond in the sum of \$2,000.00 for the faithful performance of this contract.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

The said materials shall be delivered as and when ordered at places in Hancock County to be designated by the Board of Supervisors.

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The successful bidder shall furnish bond in the sum of \$2,000.00 for the faithful performance of his contract.

The Board reserves the right to reject the lowest bid on each item enumerated herewith, and shall have the right to reject the bid on any item they shall see fit.

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Bidding on the following list of school routes of Hancock County, Mississippi, will take place at the Court House, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi on July 2, 1943. Bids shall not be accepted later than 9 o'clock July 2, 1943. New and used trucks will be accepted if in good condition.

Kuhn Routes, 1, 2 and 3.
Blue-Meadow, Route 1.
Lectown, Route 1.
Catahoula, Routes, 1, 3, 4, 5.
Logtown, Route 1.
Salem, Route 1.
Dedeaux, Routes 1, 2 and 3.
Sellers, Routes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6.
Edwardsville, Route 1.
Flat Top, Routes 1 and 2.
Gulfview, Routes 1 and 2.

The Hancock County School Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

This 10th day of June, 1943.

K. G. McCARTY,
County Superintendent of Education.

Library Notes

The Bay St. Louis-Hancock County Library has opened three volunteer branch libraries in the county—Flat Top, Aaron Academy and Bayou La Croix. This was made possible through the courtesy of Miss Eleanor Smith who offered to take the books back and forth.

Mr. Roy Baxter has given the library a new copy of *Strange Woman* by Ben Ames Williams and we are ready now to supply it for the many who have been asking for it. The author, Ben Ames Williams is a native of Macon, Mississippi and that adds interest to the book.

LADNER

On Sunday, June 5, 1943, at 4:15 o'clock p.m. Victor Ladner, beloved husband of Alma Mish, brother of Mrs. Simon Neider, Mrs. Norine Lind, Mrs. Jessie Knight, Mrs. Josephine Duboussin, Mrs. Thomas Bourgeois, Mrs. C. Quevas, and the late Mrs. Mary Carver, Mrs. Clementine Castanetto, Mrs. L. C. Carver and Isten Ladner; aged 71 years, a native of Waveland, Miss.

Funeral services were held Monday, June 7, 1943 from the Landum family funeral home, 1225 North Rampart street in New Orleans.

Interment was in St. Roch cemetery.

Mr. Ladner was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Etienne Ladner who were among the earlier residents of this county.

To the family the Echo extends sympathy at this time of their loss.

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Logtown News

MRS. M. F. Wilson of New Orleans was the guest of Mrs. Louise Summers last week. Mrs. Wilson is the former Miss Nettie Russ.

Mrs. Roy Baxter, Sr., and two sons, Roy, Jr. and Bobby returned to Bay St. Louis after spending a few days at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Maffie and two sons and Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Callanoto, all of New Orleans, were week-end guests in the home of Mrs. Wilbur McArthur and family. Miss Isabella McArthur accompanied them back to New Orleans for a visit of a few days.

Several teachers have returned home for their vacations. Miss Mae Jones is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Pearl Jones. Miss Rita Whitfield is at home from Sulphur, La. Miss Nettie Holleman, principal of one of the city schools in Hattiesburg, with her father, is spending a while at their home here.

Miss Mildred Otis, a recent graduate at Ole Miss is at her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lanier Otis.

Miss Dorothy Arendale of Hattiesburg, is visiting Miss Shirley Fountain.

Mrs. Sidney Otis and daughter left two weeks ago to take an apartment in Houma, La., that they might be with Mr. Otis who is employed there.

Mrs. Philip Joulion and daughter, Emily Margaret are visiting Mrs. Joulion's mother, Mrs. Emily Lott.

PFC. Clifford McCarty of Camp Maxey, Texas has returned home to greet his son Samuel Dale, who arrived May 30th.

Miss Grace Jones is visiting relatives and friends in Lucedale.

recently enjoyed his furlough with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Ladner.

Mrs. H. J. Barlett and son also Vertis Miller of New Orleans motored over to visit Mrs. Rose Wainwright last week end.

Vertis Miller who attends school in New Orleans is home with his grandmother, Mrs. Rose Wainwright for his vacation.

Mr. Sylvan Ladner, Jr., Mr. Alfred Favre, and Mr. Randolph Walkman motor every day to Higgins Industries Inc., all holding high positions.

Home Dem. Agent Miss Eleanor K. Smith and her club members of Bayou LaCrosse enjoyed an unusual luncheon at the home of Mrs. A. J. Sones. Those present were as follows: Mrs. Ellen Ladner, Mrs. Laura Ladner, Mrs. Ida Wainwright, Mrs. Bessie Cuevas and daughter, Mrs. Alegria Garcia and daughters and Miss Norma Jean Ladner.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sones who have been living in Bay St. Louis, have returned to live at their home in Bayou LaCrosse.

Pvt. Chester Ladner from Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Maryland has

Waveland News

Vic E. Lizana Passes On.

THE death of Vic E. Lizana came as a shock to the community. Although having been in ill health for some time Mr. Lizana was up and about a week ago when he was stricken and taken to Toure infirmary in New Orleans. He was 51 years of age and is survived by his widow, the former Delta Holdridge, two daughters, Mrs. Lawrence Jacob and Mrs. E. A. Aime and four grandchildren.

The colorful Hydrangeas in many gardens here have never been more beautiful—together with the pretty Oleander shades combine in making this a beautiful sight.

Another crowded week end, bringing folks to their summer homes and many remaining in the warm season.

Higgins employees now totaling 37 families have located here and still more in sight. The healthful benefits derived from the pine and salt air have been strikingly noticed especially in their children.

Word has been received from Pfc. Clifton Smith who is in North Africa that he has been in several battles and came out unharmed.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lee and family visited relatives in Lumberton, Sunday.

Mrs. Homer Lee Dunnaway is visiting relatives here this week end.

Elder Arnold Spiers, and Buddy Campbell made a business trip to New Orleans Saturday.

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Mrs. Ardell Stockstill and son Nelson, visited Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Lee Saturday night.

Mr. Rufus Lee, Mr. James Lee, Mrs. Daniel Baker and son, David, and Miss Julia Mae Lee visited John L. Baker and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rester and Miss Ouida Mae Rester of Mobile spent the week end with relatives.

Mrs. Fred Jarvis has returned to her home after being called to Mobile on the account of her mother being ill.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lee, Mrs. Theodore Stockstill and son, Glynn, and Grady Lee visited Mr. and Mrs. Harris Jones and family Sunday.

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Protect your home for today and for the future. We will be glad to show you samples of the new styles and new textures of these colorful shingles.

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Flat Top News

MRS. Arnold Burge and Mrs. Leslie Mitchell of Gulfport, Miss., are spending a while with Mrs. Bessie Penton.

Private J. E. Sawyer from Nebraska is on a furlough visiting here with his mother, Mrs. Frank Patten.

Mrs. Ruby Nell Daughdrill is leaving Monday for Virginia to spend a while with her husband, Pvt. Hollis Daughdrill. Mrs. Daughdrill was notified by the Red Cross that her husband was wounded some where in Africa.

Mrs. Leamon Mitchell returned home Tuesday from Camp Barkeley, Texas.

Miss Thaula Mitchell from New Orleans, La., spent the week end with Miss Betty Sue Dill.

Charles Warren has been spending a week with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Harriel at Catahoula community.

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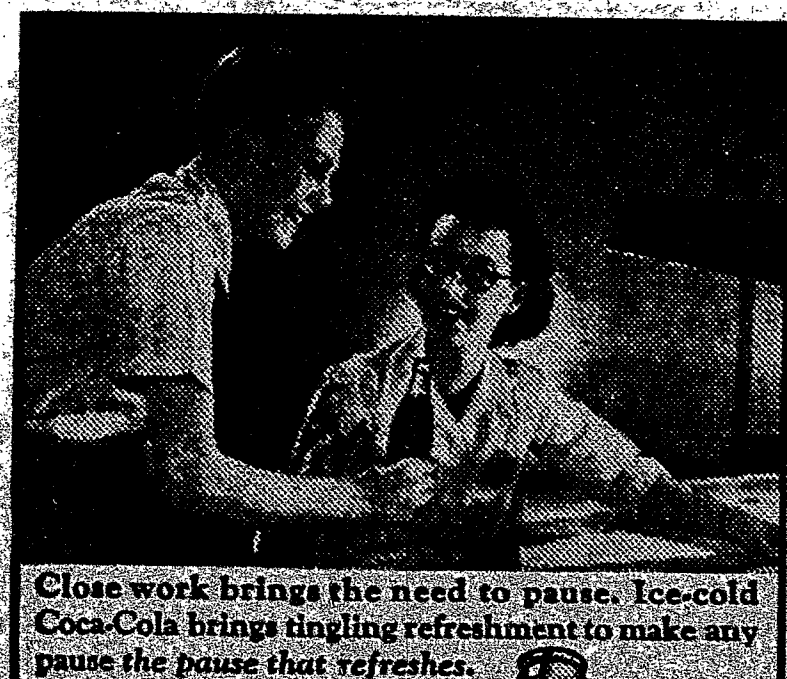
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City Echoes

Mrs. Carl Marshall and Mrs. G. F. Findley spent Monday in New Orleans.

Miss Betty Lee Mitchell is visiting at the home of Mrs. Claiborne Halbot in New Orleans.

Miss Irma Moran has accepted a position with Mr. George Cuevas in his office in the courthouse.

Misses Gloria and Gladys Capdepon spent last Sunday with their sister Mrs. William Higgins at Biloxi.

Mrs. Pauline Crawford of Tulsa, Oklahoma, was also a guest of Mrs. Marguerite Backman and Mrs. R. W. Larroux.

Miss Margie Elliott has accepted a position in the office of Mr. Richard Lawton in the Hibernia Building in New Orleans.

Mrs. C. C. Olin of New Orleans spent last week end here as the guest of Mrs. Carl Marshall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McGee are located at Mrs. Sigerson's apartment. Mr. McGee is a representative of Procter and Gamble Products.

Mrs. R. W. Larroux returned to Alexandria, La., after visiting Mrs. Marguerite Backman of this city who is the mother of Capt. R. W. Larroux.

Dr. Florence Jennings, director Extended School Service in Bay St. Louis has taken an apartment with Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Lachner in Union street.

Mrs. George Shadin has returned to her home in Talladega, Alabama, after a visit to her son and daughter-in-law. Mrs. and Mrs. Richard Shadin.

Mrs. Clyde W. Sylvester and little daughter, Ann Mary, from Jackson, Miss., are visiting in the home of Mrs. W. O. Sylvester in State street.

Miss Odile Rauxet has returned from New Orleans where she was the guest of Mrs. Gilbert Vincent. Miss Rauxet was the recipient of much social attention.

Mrs. Charles Flink and Miss Gloria Benigno left Friday morning for Rockford, Illinois, to visit Mrs. Flink's brother Robert Johnson, Jr., who is stationed at Camp Grant.

Mrs. Alice Buckley is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Shipp for the week prior to her departure for New Orleans where she will make her home in the future.

Mrs. Victor Green, of Lake Shore is back, after an enjoyable week in Fort Pierce, Florida, where she was visiting her son, Victor, who is stationed there at the Amphibious Training Base.

Mrs. A. A. Scaife entertained a few of her daughter's close friends honoring little Sandra's 7th birthday. The color scheme was pink and white and refreshments of ice cream, cake and candy were served.

Mrs. Albert Waring and son Bill of Hughes, Ark., were registered at Hotel Reed for the week end. Mrs. Waring spent the winter of 1941-42 here occupying one of the Montgomery cottages. Bill attended Saint Stanislaus.

Mrs. Joseph Blaize and little son Charles Gary left last week for Hot Springs, South Dakota, where they joined Mr. Blaize and where they will reside. Mrs. Blaize was accompanied home by her nephew Phil Kergosien.

Air Cadet Robert Mark Solomon has passed his examination which made him an Army Air Cadet Pilot and is stationed at Randolph Field, San Antonio, Texas. Mark is also a member of the Randolph Field Glee Club which broadcasts over the Sky Line Patrol program.

Misses Lucy and Ann Weston are at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Weston, coming last week from Bristol, Va., where Ann is attending Sullins College and Lucy graduated with the class of '43.

Rev. Eual Samples, pastor of the Methodist Church, Miss June Swan, Fred McDonald and James A. Evans, Jr., are attending the Young Peoples assembly which is meeting at West-

son.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien M. Gex left on Wednesday morning on the Panama-Limited for Chicago, Illinois, where Mr. Gex will transact business and Mrs. Gex will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Prague, cousins of Mr. and Mrs. Gex.

Mesdames Mary Montgomery, N. L. Carter, S. Mayer, L. T. Boyd and S. A. Power attended the meeting of the Coast Council of Church Women of the Episcopal Church which was held at Gulfport on Monday of this week.

Miss Carolyn Marshall spent a few weeks here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Carl Marshall before returning to New Orleans where she has matriculated in the Tulane Summer School. Miss Marshall will finish her five year course in four years.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Kohler have returned to New Orleans where they will be at home for the present. Mrs. Kohler has been here with Mr. Kohler's mother while Mr. Kohler was stationed at Gulfport Naval Station, but he was recently transferred to the Algiers Naval Station.

Miss Janice Satchfield is at present stopping with her brother-in-law and sister Rev. and Mrs. Eual Samples. Miss Satchfield has accepted a position in the Mutual Life Insurance Company of which Mr. Richard Lawton is manager and is a daily commuter to and from New Orleans.

Mrs. P. J. McMahon, her son and daughter Robert and Louise are at the spacious McMahon summer home here having come out from New Orleans on Wednesday of last week. Mrs. McMahon's son Patrick McMahon is in the United States Coast Guard and is stationed in Algiers. The McMahons have had as their guest Mrs. Paul Manning who returned to her home in New Orleans on Sunday.

Mrs. A. D. Landry and two sons, Billy and Eddie, left for New Orleans this week from which place Mrs. Landry will leave for Talara, Peru, while her sons spend the summer in New Orleans with their grandmother, Mrs. Fuhr, and return to Bay St. Louis at the opening of the school session when they will be enrolled as boarding students at St. Stanislaus College. Mrs. Landry recently sold her home on Carroll ave., and is with regret that her many friends learn of her leaving Bay St. Louis.

A group of the school set entertained on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Farr at a dance complimentary to and as a farewell party to Jimmie Straughn who spent the school session here with his aunt and who left Friday for his home in New Orleans.

Those attending were Misses Jeanne Arceneaux, Rita Mae Scaife, Mary Francis Scaife, Muriel Manieri, Rosemary Dicks, Maxine Strong, Virginia Seal, Barbara Ann Trastour, Nannette Arceneaux, Loraine Davis, Gilda Astleford of Biloxi, Jimmie Straughn, Bernard Farr, Wallace Bontemps, Bobbe Fayard, A. J. Scaife, Charles Kiefer, Donald Arceneaux, Raymond Carrio, Rodney Ranson, Jeff Favre, Clement Bontemps and Albert Swanner.

Dancing was the order of the evening and delicious refreshments were served and it is needless to say the young people had a jolly time.

WEDDING OF MISS MARY BENIGNO AND CORPL. BERNARD FIRPO SUNDAY

Miss Mary Benigno, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Benigno and Corporal Bernard Firpo were married on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Our Lady of the Gulf Church the Rev. Father A. J. Gmelch officiating.

The bride wore an afternoon dress of tan and brown crepe and was worn with accessories and wore a corsage of red roses and tiny white blooms. She had as her only attendant her cousin Miss Mary Benigno who wore a dress of beige sheer worn with matching accessories and a corsage of red carnations.

Corporal Firpo had as his best man the bride's brother George Benigno.

A small reception for the family and a few close friends was held at the home of the bride's parents after which the couple left for a trip to New Orleans.

Corporal Firpo is stationed at Camp Maxey, Texas and will return there shortly.

The young couple have many friends who join the Echo in wishing them many years of happiness.

Corporal Firpo is a nephew of Mrs. Gus Temple of this city and has made his home here for several years.

MRS. BUCKLEY GUEST AT LUNCHEON

Mrs. Alice Buckley who recently sold her home on the Waveland Beach and has been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Shipp prior to her departure for New Orleans where she will reside in future with her mother, Mrs. Crisler, has been entertained at a number of small gatherings by friends.

On Tuesday at noon, Mrs. Buckley was the luncheon guest of Mrs. Leo Seal.

Mrs. Charles G. Moreau entertained with a foursome at dinner at Hotel Reed for Mrs. Buckley on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Buckley was the guest of Mrs. Eugene Mogabgab on Wednesday and on Thursday, Mrs. C. J. Chadwick had Mrs. Buckley as her guest.

P. F. C. Gedric Heitzmann arrived during the week from San Bernardino, California, and will spend a ten-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Heitzmann and other members of his family. This is his first visit home since entering the service last August.

The small cottage on Carroll avenue formerly owned by Miss Mayme Odum and more recently by the Home Owners Loan Corporation which was purchased by Mrs. Charles G. Moreau and completely renovated and made into an attractive dwelling which has been named "Pettie Inez," has been rented to Mrs. E. G. Jordy who is presently residing in same.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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For Secretary of State—WALKER WOOD

For Highway Commissioner—HIRAM J. PATTERSON D. FORREST SIMMONS

For State Senator—H. K. ROUSE

For Representative—OTHO RESTER

For Clerk of Courts—A. G. (RED) FAVRE

For Sheriff and Tax Collector—JOHN A. EGLOFF BURTON D. (FIP) JOHNSON FRANCIS J. BOPP CLAUD MONTI

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For Supervisor Beat 4 LANDER H. NECAISE

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Mrs. Sidney Otis and daughter, Thelma, left Sunday for Houma, La., where they plan to spend the summer with Mr. Otis.

Mrs. Emma Baxter has returned home after a visit with her son, John and his family in Moss Point. John has been quite ill but is improved.

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Miss Mildred Otis, a recent graduate of Miss. Southern returned home last week. Miss Dorothy Arendale accompanied her and was her weekend guest.

Mrs. Roy Baxter, Sr., and two sons Roy, Jr., and Buddy spent a few days at their home here this week.

Mrs. M. F. Wilson of New Orleans is a guest of Mrs. Louisa Summers of Pearlinton. Mrs. Wilson is the former Miss Nettie Russ.

P. F. C. Eddie Ruffin son of Mr. and Mrs. Ruffin of Logtown returned to Togus, Maine, after an eight day furlough here with his wife and son, Mrs. Eddie Ruffin and Clyde Ruffin and also with his parents.

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